O Lord our God, most gracious & most glorious, which after long patience of the former times of ignorance, in these last daies by the hande of thy faithfull seruants, the Magistrates & Ministers in diuers Countries, hast remoued the vineyarde of thy Church out of that spirituall Egypt, the kingdome of Antechrist, and hast planted it with most precious Vines, euen with sundry great & famous Churches in the Gospell of thy Sonne, which thou hast caused to take roote and to fill the earth, to spread they^r boughes at length, & they^r branches a farre off. Thou O Lord knowest, how since the very first beginning of this thy great worke, the wilde Boares of Rome, with other like mightie beasts of that fielde, haue by all meanes endeuoured to breake through the bounds, and to pull vppe the fences which with thine owne right hand thou haddest made for them: not onely to lay open their grapes, for all mens plucking, but also by destroying the Vintners, vtterly to roote and turne vp thy whole vineyard. Specially at thys time thou seest O Lord, how greatly thy enemies do storre, and how those that hate thee and thy Church, do beare they^r heades aloft. For the Pope, and popish states of Italie, with Phillip of Spaine, the Duke of Parma, Sauoy, and Loraine, and the trayterous Leagors of Fraunce, haue all bended and confederate themselues against thy people, plotting & counsayling together against thy secrete ones, how eyther by power or by treacherie they may destroy them, that there be no more a Church: and that from henceforth, the name of Protestants be not spoken of vpon earth. But thou O Lord God of our saluation, which sauest all those that retyre themselues vnder thy right hand, from such as rise vp against them: euen thou O God, our strength for thy promises, for thy truth, and thy sonne Christ Jesus sake, who by hys blod hath stablished a holy and euerlasting league betweene thee and thy people, as alwaies hetherto, so now much rather, helpe we beseech thee the whole body of thy Church generally, and euery more special societie or member thereof: most specially by name, embrace we pray thee with thy principall defence, thy most noble Churches, thys of Englande and the other of France and in them thy two beloued seruaunts, chiefe heads and Gouernours of the same, Elizabeth our gracious Queene, and Henrie the most Christian King. As for they^r enemies, O Lorde, and the enemies of thy elect people, fill they^r faces with shame, dishonour, and rebuke, doing vnto them as thou didest of old time to the aduersaries of thy people Israell, euen to Pharao, Iabin, Sisera and Senacherib: and of late to the Duke of Guise and Maine in Fraunce, and the Spanish inuaders of our Land in the great daye. So cast out all they^r counsailes O God, and cause them to perrish and be ouerthrowne: but let those that loue thee, be as the Sunne in the increase of his strength, to the vtter abashment and astonishment of the wicked, to their occasionable enquirie after thy trueth, to the publique acknowledgement of thy iustice and power in the earth. And lastly to the stablishment of the thankfulnesse of the iust & the enlargement of thy praise in the mouthes of all thy Saints, through Jesus Christ our Lorde. To whom with thee the Father and the holy Ghost, one true eternall and euer liuing God, be all honour, praise, power & dominion, now and for euer. Amen.

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